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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Peter HEVEZI, *et al.*

Appl. No. 09/847,046

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For: **NOVEL METHODS OF DIAGNOSIS
OF PROSTATE CANCER AND/OR
BREAST CANCER,
COMPOSITIONS, AND METHODS
OF SCREENING FOR PROSTATE
CANCER AND/OR BREAST
CANCER MODULATORS**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **April 23, 2003**, and is submitted on or before the extended due date of **August 23, 2003 (a Saturday)**. A petition for a one-month extension of time and its requisite fee are enclosed herewith. The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments and consider the application.